CHAPTER 297

MOTOR VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS AND DISTRIBUTORS LICENSES

S. F. 287

AN ACT relating to the licensing of manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers, factory branches, distributor branches, factory representatives and distributor representatives of motor vehicles.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-two point two (322.2), Code 1962, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new subsections:

"'Manufacturer' means any person, resident or nonresident, who

manufactures or assembles motor vehicles."

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"'Distributor' or 'wholesaler' means a person, resident or nonresident, who in whole or part, sells or distributes motor vehicles to motor vehicle dealers, or who maintains distributor representatives."

"'Factory branch' means a branch office maintained by a person who manufactures or assembles motor vehicles, for the sale of motor vehicles to distributors, or for the sale of motor vehicles to motor vehicle dealers or for directing or supervising in whole or part, its representatives."

"'Distributor branch' means a branch office similarly maintained

by a distributor or wholesaler for the same purposes."

"'Factory representative' means a representative employed by a person who manufactures or assembles motor vehicles or by a factory branch, for the purpose of making or promoting the sale of its motor vehicles, or for supervising or contacting its dealers or prospective dealers."

"'Distributor representative' means a representative similarly employed by a distributor, distributor branch or wholesaler."

SEC. 2. Chapter three hundred twenty-two (322), Code 1962, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new sections:

"No manufacturer of motor vehicles, or factory branch, or distributor, or distributor branch, shall engage in business as such in this state without a license therefor as provided in this chapter."

"No factory representative or distributor representative shall engage in business as such in this state without a license therefor as

provided in this chapter."

"Application for license shall be made to the department by a manufacturer, distributor, wholesaler, factory branch, distributor branch, factory representative or distributor representative in such form and contain such information as the department shall require and shall be accompanied by the required license fee. Such licenses shall be granted or refused within thirty (30) days after application therefor, and shall expire, unless sooner revoked or suspended, on December 31 of the calendar year for which they are granted."

"License fees for each calendar year, or part thereof, shall be as

follows effective January 1, 1966:

"For motor vehicle manufacturers, distributors or wholesalers, five dollars (\$5.00); and for each factory branch in this state of a motor vehicle manufacturer, five dollars (\$5.00)."

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"For a factory representative or distributor branch representative, two dollars (\$2.00)."

"Every factory representative or distributor representative shall carry his license when engaged in his business, and display the same upon request. The license shall name his employer, and in case of a change of employer, the representative shall immediately mail his license to the department which shall endorse such change on the license without charge."

"The licenses of manufacturers, factory branches, distributors and distributor branches shall specify the location of the office or branch and must be conspicuously displayed at such location. In case such location be changed, the department shall endorse the change of location on the license without charge if it be within the same municipality. A change of location to another municipality shall require a new license"

"The department may deny the application of any person for a license as a manufacturer, distributor, wholesaler, factory branch, distributor branch, factory representative or distributor representative if after reasonable notice and a hearing the department determines that such applicant has violated any provision of this chapter and may revoke or suspend any such license that has been issued if the department shall determine after reasonable notice and a hearing that such licensee has violated any provision of this chapter."

- SEC. 3. Section three hundred twenty-two point nine (322.9), Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking from line three (3) thereof the word "licensee" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "retail motor vehicle dealer".
- SEC. 4. Section three hundred twenty-two point nine (322.9), Code 1962, is hereby further amended by striking from line two (2) of the second paragraph thereof the word "licensee" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "retail motor vehicle dealer".
- SEC. 5. Section three hundred twenty-two point three (322.3), Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking the word "licensee" from line four (4) of subsection three (3) and inserting in lieu thereof the words "retail motor vehicle dealer".
- SEC. 6. Section three hundred twenty-two point three (322.3), Code 1962, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "agent" in line two (2) of subsection five (5) the words "or representative".
- SEC. 7. Section three hundred twenty-two point three (322.3), Code 1962, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "agent" in line two (2) of subsection eight (8) the words "or representative".
- SEC. 8. Section three hundred twenty-two point seven (322.7), Code 1962, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "The" in line one (1) of subsection four (4) the words "motor vehicle dealer".
- SEC. 9. Section three hundred twenty-two point eight (322.8), Code 1962, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "Each" in line one (1) the words "motor vehicle dealer".

- 1 SEC. 10. Section three hundred twenty-two point thirteen 2 (322.13), Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking from line three 3 (3) of subsection two (2) the words "motor vehicle dealers" and 4 inserting in lieu thereof the word "persons".
- 1 SEC. 11. Section three hundred twenty-two point fourteen 2 (322.14), Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking the first sentence 3 of the second paragraph thereof.
- 1 SEC. 12. Section three hundred twenty-two point fourteen 2 (322.14), Code 1962, is hereby further amended by adding thereto the 3 following new paragraph:

4 "The provisions of this section shall not apply to violations under subsection five (5) of section three hundred twenty-two point three (322.3)."

1 SEC. 13. Chapter three hundred twenty-two (322), Code 1962, is 2 hereby amended by adding a new section as follows:

"Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to impair the obligations of a contract or to prevent a licensee hereunder from requiring performance of a written contract entered into with another licensee hereunder, nor shall the requirement of such performance constitute a violation of any of the provisions of this chapter."

Approved May 25, 1965.

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CHAPTER 298

MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL TAX

H. F. 160

AN ACT relating to the tax on diesel fuel, motor fuel, and other special fuel.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-four point three (324.3), Code 1962, as amended by section one (1) of chapter one hundred ninety-four (194), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby amended by striking from line two (2) the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven (7)".
- 1 SEC. 2. Section three hundred twenty-four point thirty-four 2 (324.34), Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking from line six (6) 3 the word "seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight (8)".
- SEC. 3. Section three hundred twenty-four point seventy-eight (324.78), Code 1962, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"The net proceeds of one (1) cent per gallon excise tax on the diesel special fuel and one (1) cent per gallon excise tax on motor fuel and other special fuel collected under the provisions of this chapter shall be credited by the treasurer of state to the primary road fund to be used for construction of primary roads other than highways designated